# **EPA/MEW Sewer Pathway Meeting**

**January 25, 2021** 

## **Agenda**



- Introductions
- EPA Presentation: Sewer Pathway information along Fairchild Drive Main and Laterals
- EPA 2020 Assessment Potential Impacts and Mitigation Measures
- Next Steps
- Q&A

## **Background Overview**



- EPA Sewer Pathway Assessment Work
- Sewer information along Fairchild Drive and Laterals
- May 6, 2014 EPA All Parties meeting sewer pathway information
- June 29, 2020 EPA/MEW Waverly 277 Fairchild sewer pathway information



# Updated Information Reviewed



- Coordination with City of Mountain View GIS, sewer lines, video inspection logs
- Fairchild sewer gas main and lateral samples (manhole and sewer cleanouts)
- Current permitted industrial wastewater dischargers
  - NEC/Renesas 501 Ellis (2018-2020 PRCCs)

Groundwater extraction effluent discharge: 5.3 – 8.6 gpm

TCE: 53- 69 μg/L; cis-1,2-DCE: 21-26 μg/L

# Investigating Sewer Pathway

### Disposal of TCE in Sewer

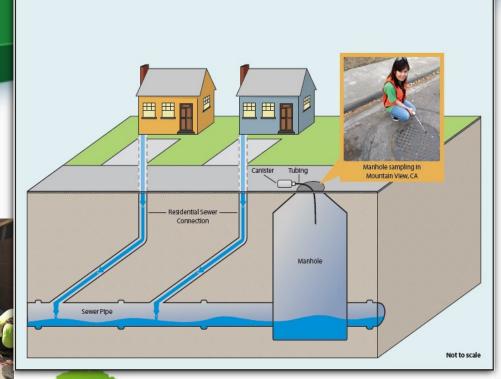
- Permitted, non-permitted discharges

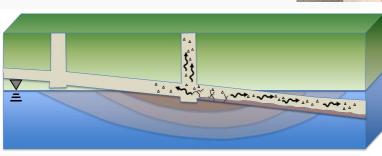
Infiltration of shallow groundwater contamination

where sewer/utility tunnel intercepts

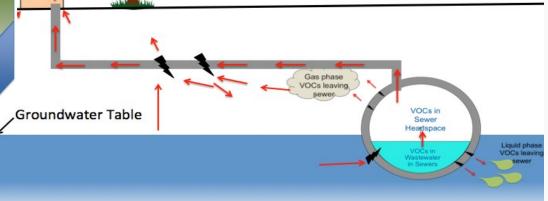
### Sampling

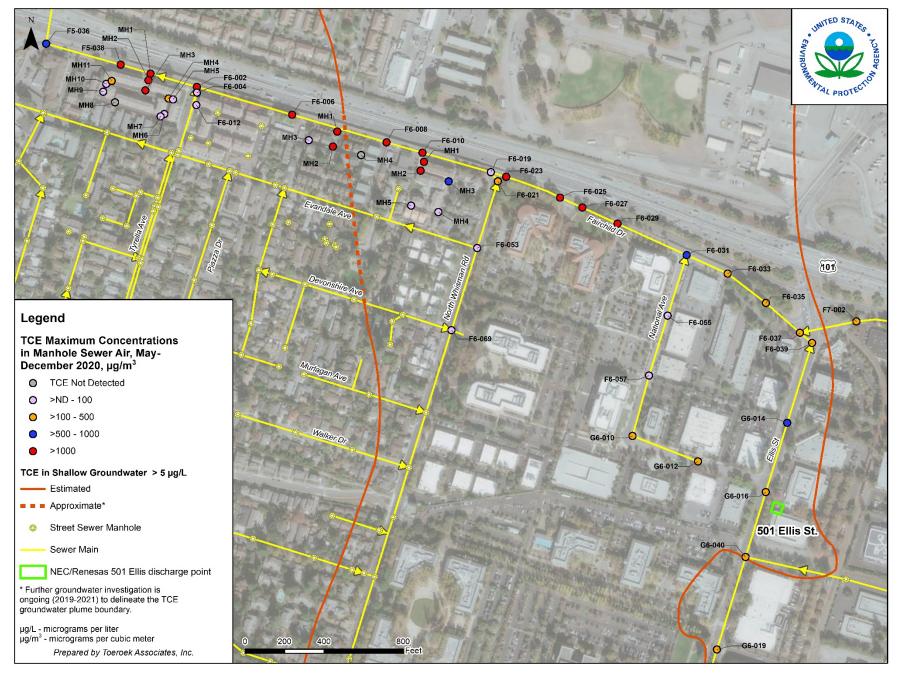
- Manhole sewer gas, sewage
- Sewer cleanout

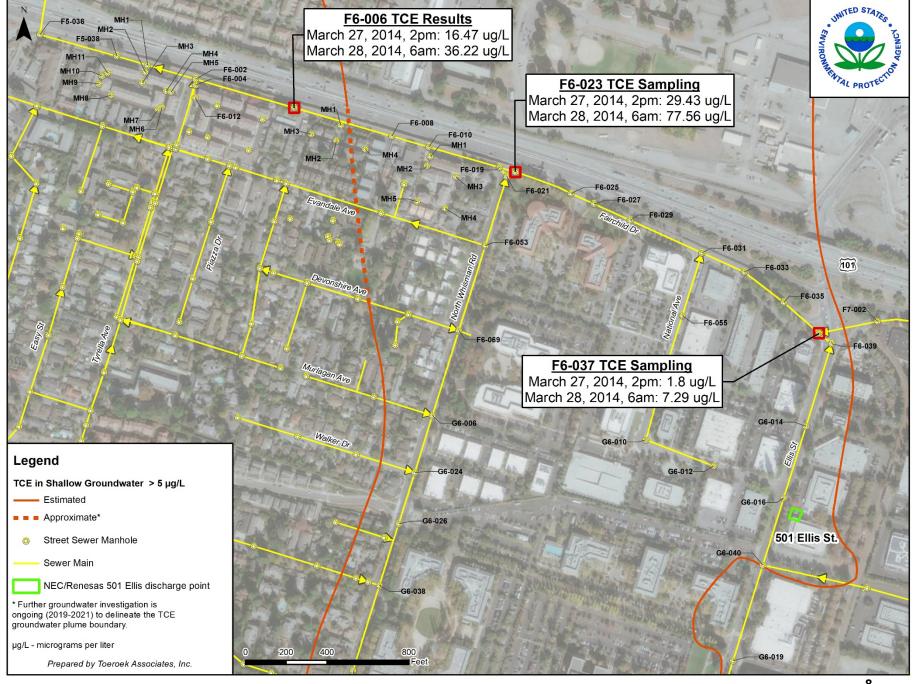


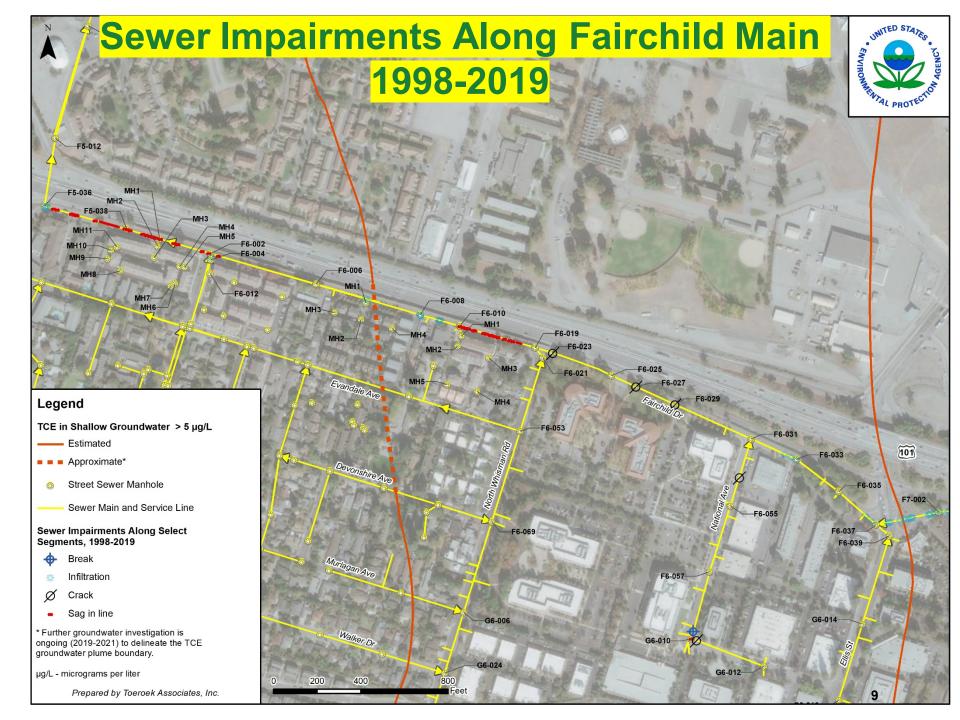


(Source: McHugh and Beckley, 2015)



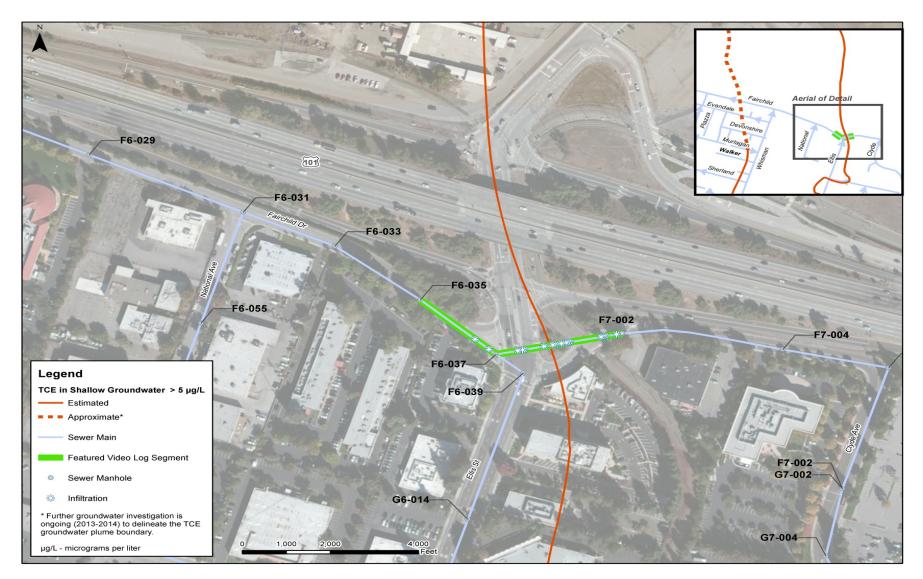






# **Example: Sewer impairment segments**

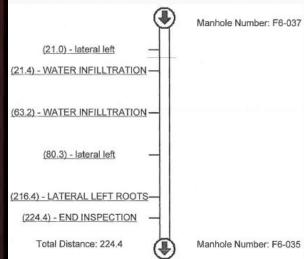




## Example video: F6-037 to F6-035







### **Example: F7-002 to F6-037**





(13.3) - WATER INFILTRATION

(38.9) - WATER INFILTRATION -

(44.0) - WATER INFILTRATION -

(48.9) - WATER INFILTRATION -

(120.9) - WATER INFILTRATION -

(125.3) - WATER INFILTRATION -

(129.7) - WATER INFILTRATION -

(140.8) - WATER INFILTRATION -

(141.7) - lateral LEFT GREASE -

(154.4) - WATER INFILTRATION -

(160.4) - WATER INFILTRATION -

(181.0) - WATER INFILTRATION -

(226.9) - WATER INFILTRATION -

(230.7) - WATER INFILTRATION -

(241.5) - WATER INFILTRATION -

(294.7) - END INSPECTION

Total Distance: 294.7

Manhole Number: F7-002

Manhole Number: F6-037

## Nearby TCE Shallow A-zone Groundwater Results

groundwater monitoring well samples collected in 2018.

The result shown is the maximum TCE concentration

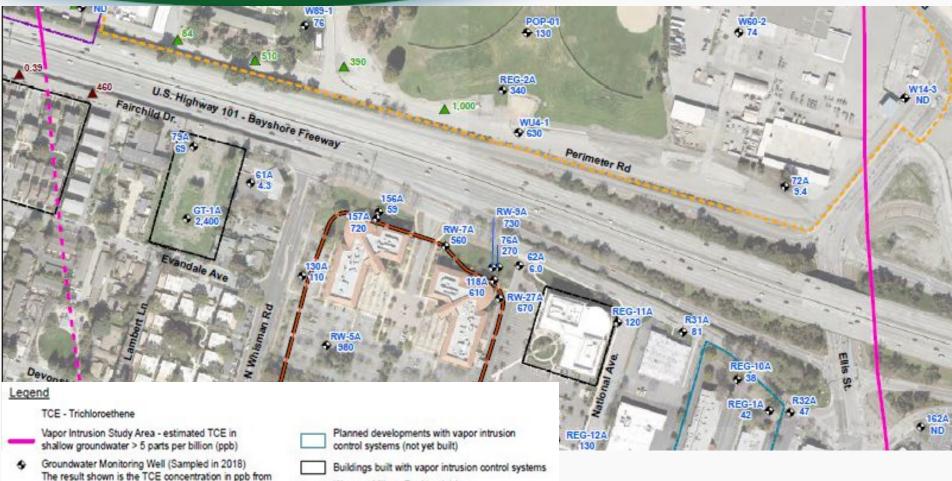
ND = Not Detected (below 0.5 ppb TCE)

2014 Groundwater Grab Sample 2012 Groundwater Grab Sample

in ppb to 40 feet below ground surface

Well Identification TCE Concentration



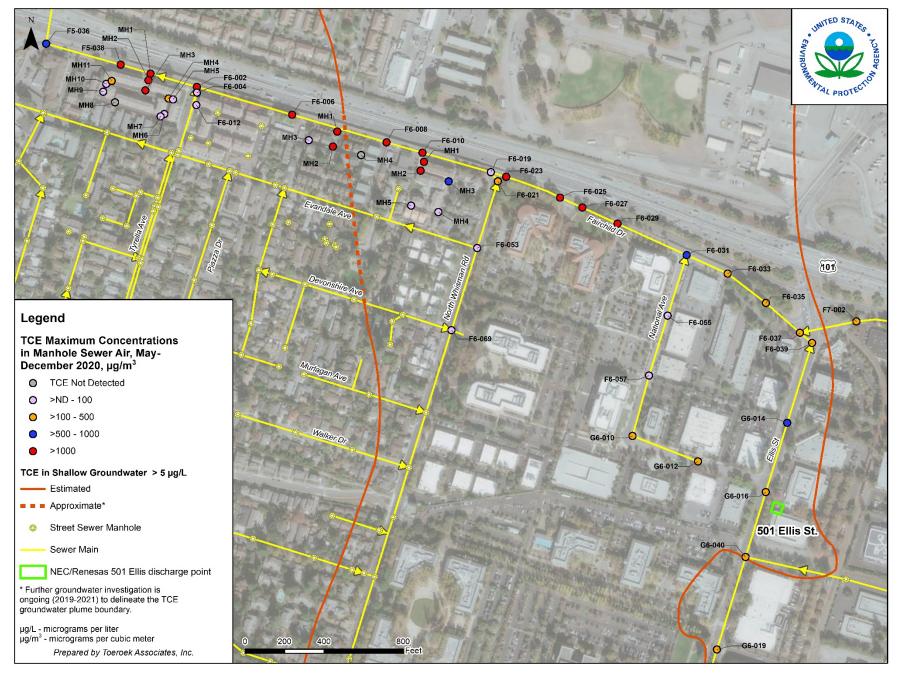


Wescoat Village Residential Area

Proposed Development Area

Slurry Wall (Underground)

buildings with vapor intrusion control systems (2006)

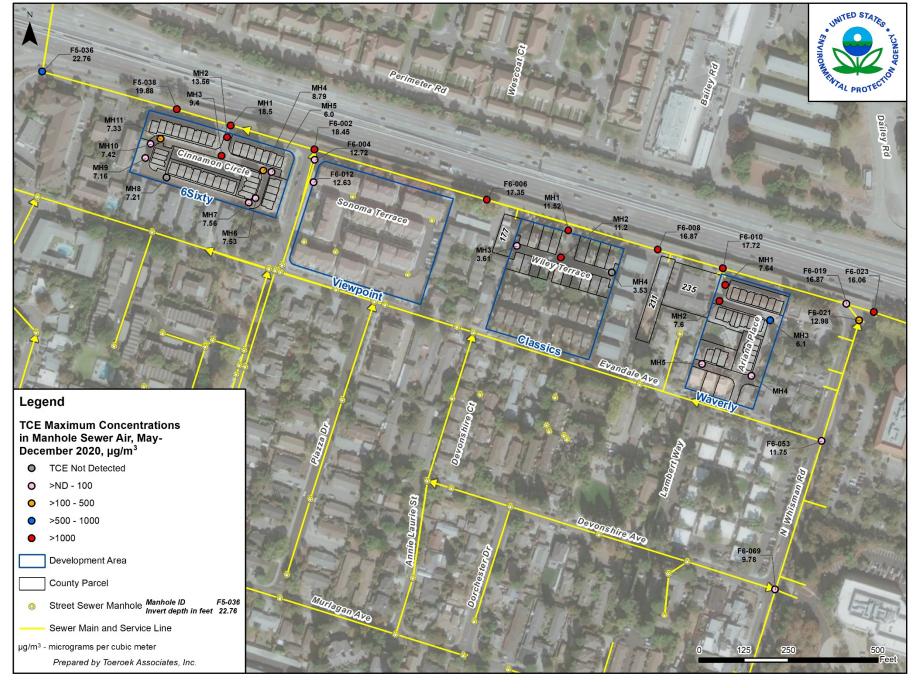


### **EPA Sewer Gas Results - 2020**

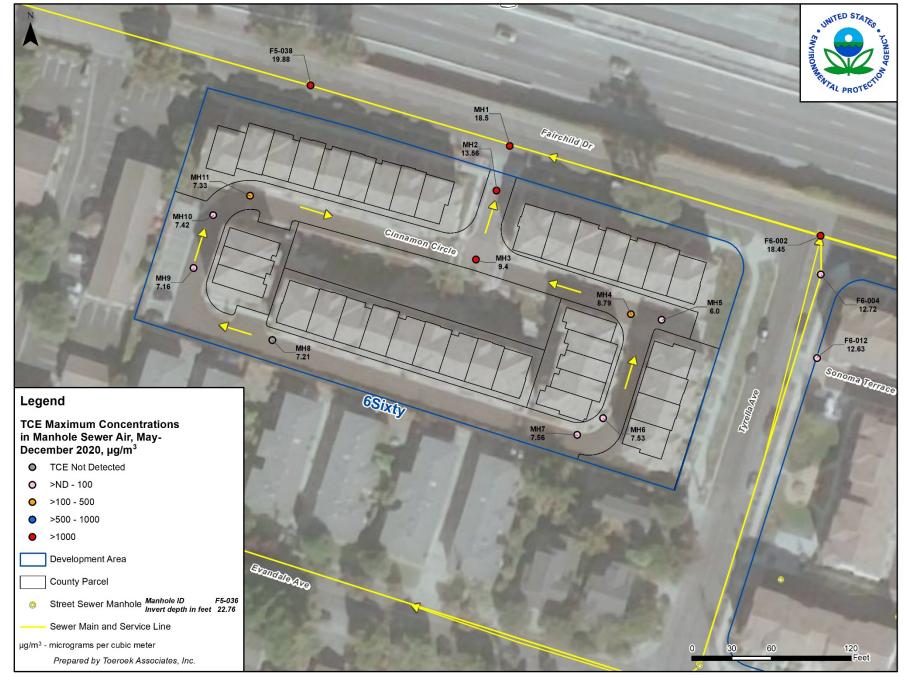


Fairchild Sewer Main and Lateral

- Residential Developments Connected to Fairchild Sewer Main
  - Waverly
  - 235 Fairchild Apartments
  - Classics
  - 6Sixty







## Potential Impacts



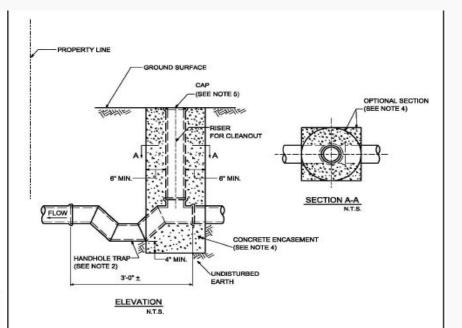
- Residential Developments Connected to Fairchild Sewer Main
  - Waverly (Mitigation measure implemented 11/30/20)
  - 235 Fairchild Apartments
  - 211 Fairchild (215/217 under construction)
  - Classics
  - 6Sixty

# Recommended Mitigation Measures



### Gas trap / siphon

- Classics
- 6Sixty
- 211 Fairchild (215/217)
- 235 Fairchild



#### NOTES:

- EXCEPT AS OTHERWISE INDICATED HEREON OR ON THE PROJECT PLANS, CONSTRUCTION SHALL CONFORM TO THE APPLICABLE PORTIONS OF STANDARD PLAN, HOUSE CONNECTION SEWERS AND HOUSE CONNECTION REMODELING.
- 2. THE HANDHOLE TRAP MAY BE FABRICATED OF MITERED SECTION AS SHOWN HEREON, OR OF A SINGLE UNIT WITH CURVED SECREPTS.
- PLAIN END PIPE MAY BE USED IN LIEU OF BELL (SOCKET) AND SPIGOT FITTED PIPE PROVIDED APPROVED COUPLINGS ARE USED.
- 4. THE CONCRETE ENCASEMENT AROUND THE RISER ABOVE THE TOP OF THE HOUSE CONNECTION TEE MAY BE CIRCULAR OR RECTANGULAR IN CROSS SECTION. FROM THE BOTTOM OF THE ENCASEMENT TO THE TOP OF THE HOUSE CONNECTION TEE, THE ENCASEMENT SHALL BE RECTANGULAR IN OROSS SECTION. ENCASEMENT SHALL BE CLASS 420-0-2000 CONCRETE.
- THE RISER SHALL BE SEALED WITH A CAP AND 1 INCH THICK TYPE "F" MORTAR AROUND THE CIRCUMFERENCE OF THE CAP.
- 6. THE HANDHOLE TRAP SHALL BE BEDDED IN THE SAME MANNER AS THE HOUSE CONNECTION SEWER.

### **GAS TRAP**

FIGURE 2-1

# Recommended Mitigation Measures



 501 Ellis Street facility - carbon treatment of groundwater extraction prior to discharge

## **Next Steps**



- Residential Developments Connected to Fairchild Sewer Main
- Implement Mitigation Measures Residential
- Additional Sewer Pathway Assessment -
- Commercial Area with connections to Fairchild main -Redevelopment
- EPA Focused FS to include Sewer Pathway

## Questions



